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A SCHOOL OF MINES.

Library Trustees Will Make Effort to Secure It for Connellsville.

MR. ANDREW CARNEGIE'S HELP

Will be Asked by the Trustees—Matter was Broached Once Before and Intimation Given it Would be Taken Up Later.

The Trustees of the Carnegie Free Library will make an effort to have a School of Mining established in Connellsville in connection with the Carnegie Free Library. This is not a new proposition. When the Carnegie Library was secured for Connellsville through the magnificent gift by Andrew Carnegie of $50,000 to its building, the matter was broached to Mr Carnegie. His reply at that time was that he did only one thing at a time His inference was that when the Library was completed and opened to the public he would be willing to consider the feasibility of establishing here in connection with the Library a School of Mining. The object of such a school would be to provide a course for young men engaged in mining in the Connellsville region and Southwestern Pennsylvania. This industry has become so extensive in this end of the State during the past two years that competent men command many offers. Mine Foremen have been hard to find. Though a large number of them were licensed at the last examination all of them were practically assured of positions before they took the examination. Mining experts of experience command anywhere from $1,500 to $5,000 a year. The field, therefore, is not only a wide one but it is remunerative and has plenty of opportunities.

At the next meeting of the Library Trustees action will again be taken in booming the plan to locate a School for Mining in Connellsville In view of the fact that the Trustees of the Connellsville Library were the first to suggest the establishment of such a school to Mr. Carnegie they feel that they may be favored with the location. However, Pittsburg and Uniontown are also candidates for the location of the school. The Western Pennsylvania Mining Institute which meets in Pittsburg on December 18th and 19th will discuss the matter and take steps urging Mr. Carnegie to stand sponsor for the school. As president of the Mining Institute W. C. Keighley of Uniontown will naturally favor that town with the location. Mr. Carnegie would hardly agree to that though, since Uniontown has never made but a feeble effort to take advantage of his offer of $50,000 for a library there Connellsville will likely be Mr Keighley's second choice

OLD FIDDLERS' CONTEST.

Unique Entertainment for Benefit of the Carnegie Free Library.

The Trustees of the Carnegie Free Library are considering plans for some variety entertainment to make money for the book fund of the institution. An Old Time Fiddlers' contest has been suggested, and it is probable that this form of entertainment will be arranged for in the near future. The idea is not a new one, but the history of a number of those contests which have been held in Western Pennsylvania is a history of great successes. Uniontown, Greensburg, Latrobe, Jeannette and a number of other towns have had entertainments of a like nature, and the proceeds have always been large.

There are a number of old time fiddlers in the vicinity of Connellsville, many of these live up the mountain way, one in particular that entertained the Elks' camp at Confluence last summer, and if they could be induced to come down and contest for the several prizes that will be offered, there would be no doubt about the attractiveness of the program. More definite arrangements will be announced soon.

Made Traffic Arrangement.

The Monongahela Valley Telephone Company, having its headquarters at Brownsville, has made a traffic arrangement with the Federal Telephone Company, whereby the service of the latter is extended to Brownsville, Rice's Landing, Merrittstown and Masontown, and soon it is expected that Uniontown and Morgantown will be connected up.

MRS. BROWN'S REPORT.

As Delegate to State Convention of the W. C. T. U.

A large number of the members of the W. C. T. U. were at the home of Mrs. George Brown, North Pittsburg street, Friday night to hear that a lady's report as County Delegate to the State Convention at Allentown Besides the members of the local union others were in attendance both from Connellsville and New Haven The formal opening was observed, Mrs. Noss presiding, after which Mrs. Brown's report was heard. It was written and oral and for more than an hour held the closest attention of her hearers It received hearty and prominent approval.

Mrs Brown's reproduction of the talks and addresses of Madam Rafalovich, the Assyrian Belle Kearney, the slave [illegible] daughter, and Miss Footman, the principal attractions of the convention, were something remarkable. Music was interspersed, of course Miss Hattie Berger presided at the piano and Miss Hoover favored the company with a solo The refreshments which followed were prepared by Mrs. Brown, which is sufficient to say.

BIG TRAIN ROBBERY.

Bandits Hold Up Rock Island Express and Get $75,000.

Davenport, Iowa, Nov 22.—The westbound train on the Rock Island road, regular St Joseph and Kansas City express, was held up late last night three miles west of this city by by about 15 masked bandits who cut off the express and baggage cars forced the engineer to run two miles up the track, blew up the through express safe with dynamite and escaped. The amount obtained from the safe is said to be $75,000. There is no definite clue as yet.

Liquid Gas From Coke.

The National Liquid Gas Company has been recently incorporated by Pittsburg capitalists to make liquid carbonic acid gas from coke. The company has secured coal property on which they have planned to erect by-product coke ovens of a new design the acid refining plant is to be located at Zelienople and will be a building 200 x 150 feet in extent and two stories high. The output of the chemical plant will be between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 pounds of acid yearly The capital stock of the company is $17,000 and its officers are J. A. Franchot, President; Emil Swenson, the well known civil engineer and inventor, Vice President, W C Lynn, Secretary and I Burnser, General Manager. The work on the construction of the new plant will be started soon

Wanted to Drown Himself.

An unknown man tried to commit suicide by jumping into the Youghiogheny river, below Linston station, on Tuesday He would have been drowned had not some Italians pulled him out On his person was found three letters the contents clearly indicating that he is a fugitive from justice, as he warned in one to get out of the country and for God's sake not allow his identity to become known. The letters were mailed at Baltimore and directed to Connellsville.

No Means of Redress.

Governor Stone replying to the letter of Private Brown of Company C Tenth regiment, Uniontown, says there is no redress for members of the Guard who are thrown out of employment because they are members, except an appeal to the patriotism of their employers and organized labor there is no legal remedy to force their reinstatement.

Breen Held for Court.

At a hearing before Justice of the Peace James Echard Friday afternoon, Lieutenant James Breen of the Baltimore & Ohio police department, was held for court on a charge of assault and battery preferred by an Italian whom the officer ejected from the depot last Sunday night. Breen gave $300 bail.

At the Hospital.

Thomas Daugherty, a miner from Leisenring No. 3, was brought to the Cottage State Hospital this morning in a wagon. He had his right leg broken by a fall of slate. A tramp was struck by a train at the Davidson ovens. The police brought him to the hospital where it was found he has a broken clavicle.

Bar Association Banquet.

The Fayette County Bar Association will hold their annual banquet on the evening of January 9th. Hon. W. [illegible] Heusel, Judge Joseph Buffington and Judge R. L. Crawford will speak.

HEADLIGHT FLASHES.

More Yard Room on the P & L. E. Railroad at Dickerson Run.

A NEW WAY OF TESTING TIES.

Railroad Notes and News Gathered Off the Connellsville and Pittsburg Divisions—Personal Mention Among the Trainmen.

The Dickerson Run yards of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad across the river from Dawson are being enlarged Additional tracks are being put in that will hold 200 cars The yards are over two miles long and extend west from Dickerson Run. A day and night telegraph office was opened this week at Round Bottom, one mile west of Dickerson Run. This it is expected will facilitate the making up of trains in the yards, and in getting them headed for their destination. The traffic at this point is mostly coal and coke, the latter commodity comprising the great bulk. The Lake Erie, by the way, has been taking care of considerable westbound and Pittsburg coke for the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio for several weeks past. It is transferred at New Haven and West Yough. The grade from Dickerson Run to Pittsburg on the Lake Erie is one of the best in Western Pennsylvania permitting more service out of motive power than on either the Pennsylvania or the Baltimore & Ohio One engine can take a train one-third larger from the Connellsville region to Pittsburg on the Lake Erie than it can on the Baltimore & Ohio and nearly twice as big as one can on the Pennsylvania.

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Galvanized nails 2½ inches long, with flat heads, have been provided on the Connellsville Division to test ties. In the top of the head is deeply sunk a figure representing the year in which the tie that it is driven was laid Thus all ties laid in 1901 will be marked with the figure 1 and so on the nail to be driven in the center of the tie Road Supervisor's Clerk H. H. Shumaker distributed 125,000 of these spikes to section foremen on the division last week.

Workmen on the Southwest Pennsylvania railroad are laying an extra track over the Youghiogheny bridge for a gauntlet arrangement In this the tracks lap over each other, widening out to two tracks at each end of the bridge thus doing away with switches.

The report that Harry Dayton of Pittsburg an engineer on the Pittsburg and Connellsville Divisions of the Baltimore & Ohio, is soon to be promoted to a high position is very far from being true.

The old South Penn railroad route is to be visited again by a large party of engineers. They are now located at Stahlstown.

Operator W A Deverge of Rockwood, accompanied by his wife is visiting his former home in Baltimore.

The helpers on the Connellsville Division, known as the Yoder helpers, after December 1st will likely make their headquarters at Rockwood

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Engine No 1126 is in the shops for repairs. The engine broke a bolt in the crosshead coming into Rockwood one day this week.

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John Cooper, a Baltimore & Ohio fireman with headquarters at Connellsville, is ill at his boarding house in New Haven. He was seized with an attack of heart trouble over a week ago and for several days was not expected to live. His home is at Rockwood.

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Thomas Ryan, who fell off the running board of his engine between Gibson and Mt. Braddock nearly two months ago, is still unable to work. Before the last accident he had fallen from his engine near the same point and fractured his wrist. While no bones were broken the last time, he was very badly shaken up. Engineer Ryan is the senior member of the Fayette County Poor Board

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The hardest train for a conductor to work on the Pittsburg and Connellsville Divisions is Nos. 51 and 50 between Connellsville and Fairmont. It runs seven days in the week and there is never a day but that the coaches are well filled and crowded out of Uniontown, Morgantown and Fairmont.

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The following firemen on the Baltimore & Ohio have passed the examination for promotion and will shortly be given engines: Harry Hahn, Floyd Kunes, Andrew Knight, Charles White Thomas Griffin and Clifford McCollough.

More Rooms for Haas Hotel.

Work will be commenced next week excavating for the building on the rear of the Haas Hotel property on Arch street. Andrew Haas will build a brick structure there of four stories which will be for rooms in connection with his hotel and a restaurant which will be run by James W. Howard Girard & Strawn will do the brick work.

NEW CABLE WITHIN SIX MONTHS

Government Will Get Concessions In Rates In Exchange For Nero Soundings.

Washington, Nov. 22.—Secretary Moody yesterday directed that the Nero soundings be turned over to the Pacific Cable company.

This action resulted from a conference yesterday between Secretary Moody and Rear Admiral Bradford, chief of the bureau of equipment, in regard to the proposition of the Commercial Pacific Cable company, to construct a cable from San Francisco to Honolulu. The secretary has authorized the admiral to turn over the soundings made by the navy department to the Pacific company as soon as the necessary papers have been drawn up. These soundings, which were made by the Nero, represent more than a year's work and an expenditure of about $100,000. As a result of the secretary's determination to relinquish the soundings of the Nero in return for concessions to the government in cable rates and in military use of the cable, it is expected that the cable will be in operation between San Francisco and Honolulu within six months and work then will be pushed on the line between Honolulu and Manila.

It is due to the work of the Nero that Guam is to be a landing station of the Pacific cable. The cable company was disposed to believe that there was an abyss in the vicinity of the island which would prevent the laying of a cable by that route. Admiral Bradford showed the company's representatives enough of the soundings to convince them that the survey of the Nero had made a detour of this abyss and it was agreed to lay the cable via Guam.

FISTOL DUEL.

Sons Take Up Fathers' Fight and One Is Killed.

Fourteen, W. Va., Nov. 22.—Almost a dozen years ago Wesley Brumfield and Zack Tiller natives of this section, engaged in a shooting affray with the result that Tiller was killed and Brumfield was crippled for life. Yesterday Wayne Brumfield and Howard Tiller, sons of these same men, who have ever since the old tragedy been enemies, engaged in a pistol duel This time a Brumfield was killed.

The tragedy of yesterday occurred in sight of where their fathers' engaged in their deadly duel. Tiller was uninjured, notwithstanding his adversary fired three times at him at close range. Tiller has surrendered He says he has avenged his father's death.

$14,000 Robbery.

New York, Nov. 22.—News of a robbery of $14,000 worth of dry goods from the basement of the building in Grand street, occupied by Steinhardt & Strasbourger, which occurred on Wednesday night, was made public yesterday, by a member of the firm. The store is about half a block from a police station. The manager of the store said the thieves must have been at work at least four hours to get out so great a quantity of goods and must have used a truck. Detectives are working on the case.

Filed For Probate.

New York, Nov. 22.—The will of former Congressman Felix Campbell, of Brooklyn, disposing of an estate estimated at $7,000,000, was filed for probate yesterday in the surrogate office of Kings county. A bequest is made to Bishop Charles E. McDonnell of $70,000 for an application to the building fund of the Roman Catholic cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, in Brooklyn. The bulk of the estate is devised to the testator's wife and four daughters.

REV. WARREN EDITOR.

Will Publish The Worker, a Well Known Christian Church Journal.

MAY MOVE THE PLANT HERE.

Possibility of Another Prominent Denominational Paper Merging With The Pittsburg Weekly—Paper Will Be Enlarged.

Rev. W. R. Warren, pastor of the Christian Church of Connellsville, is about to embark in a journalistic enterprise that will be a credit to both him and the congregation which he so faithfully serves. A deal will be closed Monday whereby he will become the editor in chief and publisher of The Worker, a weekly magazine published in Pittsburg in the interest of the work of the Christian Church. The deal includes the possibility that the paper will be moved to Connellsville in the near future; and the possible merger of another denominational paper with it. In this case The Worker will be come one of the strongest papers published in the Christian denominational work.

Rev. Warren will go to Pittsburg Monday to make final arrangements for taking charge of the work. Not until then will the details of the affair be definitely settled. It is certain, however, that the standard and scope of the paper will be much advanced when Rev. Warren takes hold.

The Worker is an eight-page, three column magazine with a handsome cover bearing the watchword of the publication, "Always Abounding in the Work of the Lord." It is now in its sixth year, and is published by A. L. Sample at No. 6316 Station street, East End, Pittsburg. For the past two years the editors have been Rev. W. R. Warren and Rev. O. H. Phillips, pastor of the Christian Church at Braddock.

A feature of the paper which has been ably and exclusively handled by Rev. Warren for the past two years, is the "Matters of Moment" department on the first page. This department reviews the current issues of the day in a bright and interesting manner. This work by Rev. Warren has attracted widespread attention in the religious journalistic field. The publisher of another prominent church organ referred specifically to this department when he made an offer to merge his paper into The Worker.

Rev. Warren is one of the foremost ministers in the Christian Church of Pennsylvania. Since coming to Connellsville he has built up one of the strongest and most influential congregations in town, and his counsel in the affairs of the church as a whole has always commanded attention.

SMITH F. FEE DEAD.

Died Suddenly Early This Morning in Pittsburg.

Captain and Mrs. T. M. Fee this morning received word of the sudden death of their son, Smith Fuller Fee. A telegram to Charles M. Fee at Uniontown stated that he had died suddenly at 3 P. M. today. No further particulars of the death were given. Captain Fee and C. M. Fee went to Pittsburg this morning. He will be buried in Homewood Cemetery, Pittsburg. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Smith Fuller Fee was the first of a family of nine children to die. He was born in Uniontown, March 29th, 1862. While he was yet an infant his parents moved to Connellsville, which has since been their home. When 18 years of age Smith went to Pittsburg, where he was married to Miss Anna Fisher. For the past several years he has been employed as a special officer at the City Deposit Bank, Penn avenue, Pittsburg.

He is survived by his wife and five children, as follows: Martha Amelia, Mary Louise, Alice Smith, Thomas Fisher and Alvin Moon. He leaves the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Louise Isett, Mrs. Minnie Einstein, Mrs. Amelia Fee, Donovan, James, Thomas and Frank R. of Pittsburg, George of Chicago and Charles M. Fee.

Two Real Estate Deals.

Kobacker's, real estate agents, have closed a deal for the sale of a lot on Morton avenue owned by Charles Evans to B. Reichstein, consideration $1,150, and a lot of Mrs. Martin in the Third Ward back of the school building to Bernard Cuneo, consideration $375. Both new purchasers will build.

TURKEY IS NOT THE ONLY THING

To think of now. Better think of Shoes, too. We have made all arrangements for your feet—it's our business to take care of that part of the body and it gets our whole time. Come to us for your shoe wants. Every grade of our shoe stock is complete—Dress Shoes, Novelties, Staple and Work Shoes.

Women's Shoes. . .

This is where we make a hit

PINGREE SHOES for Women, Misses and Children. This line comes in School, Street and Dress Shoe wants. Made in light and heavy soles. Box Calf, Glazed Kid and Patent Kid. Blucher and Lace. Priced $3.00 $3.50 $4.00 and $5.00

Misses' $2 and $2.50

Children's, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00

The STRONG & GARFIELD SHOES for Ladies' Dress and Street Wear. The one for street is made of heavy Oxide Kid with a WATER PROOF bottom. The dress shoe is made of Patent Kid and the shapes are the latest happenings in footwear. See them on the street. Priced $5 and $5.50

HANAN SHOES for Women. These like Hanan Shoes for Men, need no introduction to wearers of good footwear. Made in Blucher and Lace of Patent Kid, Enamel and Glazed Kid. Widths A to E and priced $5.00

JOHN KELLY SHOES for Women. This line is well known. They wear longer than any other shoe and are noted for their style and durability. We stand by every pair. Made in Blucher and Lace. Box Calf, Glazed Kid, Enamel and Patent Kid. Priced at $2.00 $2.50 $2.75 $3.00 $3.50 $4.00

ASK TO SEE THE KELLY SHOE.

HANAN'S SHOES — They're so well known here that comment is unnecessary. We only need say that we have them in all the latest shapes in Patent Colt, Patent Kid, Enamel, Velour Calf and Box Calf, Blucher and Lace in widths A to E, and priced at $5 and $6

STRONG & GARFIELD SHOES for Men. This is the line for swell dressers for balls and full dress occasions. Patent Colt with mono Lex top, Patent Kid, Oxide Kid and Enamel. Widths A to E. Priced at $6 and $7

CROSSETT SHOES for Men and Boys. This is a more medium priced line of Shoes and nothing better at the respective prices. Made in Blucher and Lace. Enamel Colt, Patent Kid, Velour Calf and Box Calf. Priced $2.50 $2.75 $3.00 $3.50 $4.00

ALDEN, WALKER & WILDE SHOES that wear well. This Shoe is made for hard service. They have a heavy double sole to wear. The uppers are made of Velour and Box Calf. Their appearance is the $3.50 and $4

PINGREE SHOES for Men. This line is known and real by. We have them in Enamel Colt, Box Calf, Glazed Calf and Patent Kid. Priced $3.50 $4.00 $4.50 $5.00 $6.00

In Men's Working Shoes and Shoes at $1.75 and $2 we will surprise you.

Boys' School and Dress Shoes.

Here is where you get a shoe that will give your boys service. Ask to see the "Steel Shod" Shoe for Little Gents. Sizes 8½ to 13. Priced $2.00 $2.25 $2.50 $2.75 and

Youths', sizes 13½ to 2. Priced $2.25 $2.50 $3.00

Boys', sizes 2 to 5½. Priced $2.75 $3.00 $3.50

Blucher and Lace, Patent Colt, Velour Calf and Box Calf, regular and high top medium high grade Shoes for Little Gents, Youths and Boys. Cannot be equalled. Little Gents' Shoes $1.25 to $1.75

Youths' Shoes $1.50 to $2.25

Boys' Shoes $1.50 to $2.50

RUBBERS

We handle the best only—Goodyear Glove. They are lighter and nearer than most makes and give you better wear. Infants' sizes, 4 to 8. Misses' 8½ to 2. Boys', 2½ to 5. Women's, 2½ to 5. Men's 6 to 12.

RUBBER BOOTS.

We have everything from Children's "Storm King" (high top) size 5 to 8. Men's size 12.

LEGGINS

We have Children's, Misses' and Women's in Jersey, Boys' in Leather, Corduroy and Canvas. Men's in the regular Army and high top.

Remember, we treat you as courteously for looking as buying.

R. M. HUNT & CO.,

White Brick Front, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

MAY BE SETTLEMENT.

Minets and Operators Will Try to Adjust Differences Without Commission.

BOTH SIDES SHOW WILLINGNESS

Basis of Negotiations Is a Ten Per Cent Increase In Wages, a Nine Hour Day and Trade Agreements Between Contending Parties

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 22.—The mine workers through their representatives have agreed with the mine owners to attempt to adjust the differences existing between them outside the anthracite coal strike commission. The proposition was made on a compromise basis and negotiations are expected will at once be entered upon with a reasonable hope of a settlement with the aid of the arbitrators. The rough proposition which is to form the basis of negotiations is a 10 per cent increase in wages, a nine hour day and trade agreements between the miners and the company by which they are employed. In other words of the four demands not touched upon is that upon the weighing of coal by the legislature. While both sides have expressed willingness to settle their differences among themselves it is not to be construed that it carries with it the acceptance of the terms proposed.

It is said the move was brought about by both sides seeing that the proceedings before the commission would be interminable. It cannot be officially stated which party made the proposition first but it is generally believed the operators were the first to make the proposition.

The commissioners were informed of the new turn of affairs Thursday night and acquiesced in the proposed arrangement. The subject did not directly come up in the public hearing yesterday and an adjournment was made ostensibly to permit both sides to complete their work of preparing documentary evidence. Clarence S. Darrow of Chicago one of Mr. Mitchell's attorneys, brought the matter out when, near the close of yesterday's session he suggested that the miners be given a little more time to prepare their evidence. They also wanted to carefully examine the company books and this too would take considerable time.

While Mr. Darrow was saying this the commissioners were all in motion and no one outside of them and a few representatives on each side of the case knew what was coming. Judge Gray in reply to Mr. Darrow said the commission would be very glad to cooperate in bringing about the accomplishment of the end by which the miners could have time to examine the books of the companies.

"We have been aware for some time," he said, "that while the testimony that has been adduced has been very interesting, yet it will not say it has not been of value, still it has not yet borne directly upon the points at issue between the parties to the controversy."

After the reading, this the chairman then read an announcement which had been prepared by the commission in advance. It was as follows:

"Acting on the suggestion just made, we counsel that an interval of time be taken for the preparation of the documentary evidence and for possible agreement as to certain facts and names which would forward the work of the commission. The commission desires to express the hope that an effort will be made by the parties to come to an agreement on many, if not all the matters now in controversy, and that they will call upon the assistance of the commission to counsel on any points where we can be of service in such an effort by our conferences. It seems to us that many of the conditions complained of and which have been the subject of study of our examination might be better remedied by the parties to the controversy approaching the subject in a proper spirit and with the purpose of fairly adjusting them. We hope gentlemen that the interval of time to be granted may be availed of with this end in view. Of course in the meantime we will proceed with the work before us as we have begun it."

Everett Warren, counsel for the Pennsylvania Coal company and the Hillside Coal and Iron company, stated the difficulty of his company in being able to present their payrolls and other evidence in a brief time and approved of an adjournment of a week or 10 days. This was agreed to, and in order to give all parties an opportunity to confer on the new state of affairs an adjournment was taken at 12.46 until this morning. It is probable the suggestion for a week or 10 days' adjournment will be adopted. During the entire proceedings the matter of a settlement was not spoken of except what was contained in the commissioners' announcement.

Dr. Robe was on the stand again yesterday but nothing new was adduced. Several physicians testified as to miners' ills but the facts brought out in this particular were of the same general nature as given in previous testimony.

It was agreed last night by the miners' representatives and the attorneys for the coal companies to ask the commission to adjourn today until Wednesday, Dec. 1. It is likely the request will be granted.

Premier Resigns

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 22.—Premier James Dunsmuir has resigned and Colo. G. Prior, minister of mines, has been called upon to form a ministry. The composition of the cabinet will remain practically unchanged, the vacant portfolio of minister of mines being specified to be filled within a few days.

Clover Leaf Elects Officers

Toledo, Nov. 22.—At the meeting of directors of the Clover Leaf the following officers were elected: William A. Rae, New York, chairman of the board; Benjamin Norton, Toledo, president; Henry Budge, New York, vice president; E. H. Seaman, New York, secretary and treasurer; A. H. Jellin, New York, general counsel.

Will Use South Carolina Granite

Harrisburg, Nov. 22.—The new capitol commission yesterday afternoon decided to use Winsboro granite for the exterior walls and decorations of the new capitol. The granite is quarried at Rion, S. C., and can be had ready for use all the year round.

Thanksgiving In the Cabin

Dah is sure to be Thanksgivin in de cabin sho' dis year
Fo de pos' in crop am plenty an de coo' is done arrib heah
Lots o' me' fo' makin' hoecake an de sweet 'taters pit
Would jus' mak' chiv gib de niggah a full grown conniption fit
Jog o' lasses in de cellar, plenty wil' grapes in de wood
Dah's Thanksgivin' in de cabin when de possum crop am good

Whe' folks dey kin eat de turkey but a possum when he's fat
Makes a colled pe'son happy, ain't no sin in sich as dat!
Bring de napkin from de smokehouse
Dinah, put him in de pot
All de neighbo's an' de chillun am a-comin' like as not
Make a grea' big dish ob gravy, pile de fishplace full ob wood
Dah's Thanksgivin' in de cabin when de possum crop am good!

—R. B. Thompson in Cincinnati Enquirer

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town

Sale in fine hats at The Fair.

The biggest value in skirts at The Fair.

Connellsville is an orderly town for its size.

The Yough will soon be congested unless rains comes.

There will be a great variety in toys this Christmas.

E. A. Humphries, the well known coke man of Scottdale, was in town Friday.

Frank Cunco, who has a wife in Connellsville, was convicted of a serious charge at Punxsutawney this week.

Louis Hermann is home from a ten days' trip East. He was buying winter goods for Hartleman & Friedman's stores.

The Fayette County Gas Company which supplies gas to Connellsville consumers is drilling test wells at Brownstown, Westmoreland county.

The Town Council of Dunbar is to take up the assault made on Policeman James Caldwell a few days ago and may institute prosecutions. Arrests are likely to follow. Caldwell is still at his home at Scottdale.

Miss Hoffman, formerly in charge of the Hunbert plant of the American Tin Plate Company and now a special Bell Telephone supply house in Pittsburg, was a Connellsville visitor Friday.

Mrs. M. Dean, Manager of the Western Union telegraph office, was in Scottdale Friday evening attending the installation of a lodge of Lady Maccabees at that place. Mrs. Dean is a member of the Connellsville lodge of that Order.

The case between Abraham Cohen and Jacob and Samuel Kinsbursky all of Connellsville, was settled in court Thursday before it came to trial by the Kinsburskys paying Cohen $210 for his interest in the Water street clothing store.

A coffer dam has been built and other progress made in the erection of the abutments and piers for the addition to the Davidson bridge on the Southwest Pennsylvania railroad made necessary by the double tracking of the division.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Newmyer left Friday evening for New York. They will go over to New Haven this afternoon and witness the annual football game between Harvard and Yale. Miss Isabel Newmyer has been at New Haven for several days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Newmyer.

New Ideas In Rings.

Rings are still the most popular of gifts. Naturally so, for they can be worn always and where all can see them. We now have on hand the largest selection in town of the newest ideas in Rings.

Gold Rings, plain,
Gold Rings fancy,
Seal Rings, Cameo Rings,
Diamond Rings, Pearl Rings,
Opal Rings, Turquoise Rings,
And Rings in all combinations.
Make your selection

HYATT, The Jeweler,
Dunn-Paine Bldg., Connellsville

Our Holiday Goods Are Arriving.

It is now time to make up your mind what you will buy your friends for Christmas presents.
We will have a big line of the latest novelties.

W. E. Tannehill & Bro.
105 North Pittsburg Street.

DUN'S TRADE REVIEW.

No Relief as to Congestion of Railway Traffic and No Immediate Prospects.

RAILWAY EARNINGS INCREASING

Orders Coming Forward For Iron and Steel Products and Producers Asking Premiums For Early Delivery Much Structural Material Required

New York Nov 22—R G Dun & Co s Weekl Review of Trade issued today says in part

Voluntary increases in wages by some of the largest railway systems in the country bear eloquent testimony to the amount of business handled in the past and emphasize the confidence of officials in continued heavy traffic Moreover by this addition of large sums to the purchasing power of railway employes there is assurance of a larger demand for all staple lines of merchandise Temporarily sales of seasonable lines of wearing apparel are retarded by mild weather but this loss will be fully made up when low temperature becomes general Preparations for holiday trade are on an unprecedented scale especially at interior points There is no relief as to the congestion of railway traffic nor any immediate prospect of free movement at the points of most serious blockade Coal freight is steadily gaining and all railway earnings thus far reported for November exceed last years by 5 9 per cent and those of 1900 by 15 9 per cent

Orders are now coming forward for iron and steel products that have been held back many months in expectation of an easier market Instead of making concessions however producers ask premiums for early delivery and hesitate to accept contracts where material and fuel are not in sight No relief is reported as to the movement of coke nor is any anticipated for some time to come In fact one authority suggests that the situation will not be normal before April Imports relieve some departments of the industry Plans for constructive work are now increasing and a very large tonnage of structural material will be required As the present congestion is due to inadequate facilities the most importunate inquiry is for railway equipment Activity is notable at works making agricultural implements bolts and kindred lines Recent reductions in prices of a few of the lighter forms stimulated dealings to a fair degree Silver bullion declined to the lowest price on record and copper and tin also receded from former quotations London was a conspicuous factor in these changes Heavy lines of dry goods need the stimulus of cold weather

Failures for the week numbered 207 in the United States against 218 last year and 24 in Canada compared with 31 a year ago

KWANGSI REBELS

Boxers Are Invading Villages and Murdering Inhabitants

Victoria B C Nov 22—Advices have been received from South China that the Kwangsi rebels have invaded Kwei Chou province proclaiming their objective to be that province They invaded Hi Hsien in Kwei Chou where fell into their hands and many of the villagers who had held out eight days were slaughtered The government troops sent to relieve the place were within one days march when it fell and hearing of the success of the rebels retired to Kwangsi borders

The Boxers in Sze Chuan are posting placards in the villages stating with the authority of Tao Chun their patron and at the will of the Sage Confucius they will fulfill the will of heaven by murdering all the foreign devils in China who continue to propagate their doctrines and exterminate all who enter their churches or become their followers

War Vessels Coaling

San Juan de Porto Rico Nov 22—The following United States war vessels are coaling here Bancroft Machias Leyden Fortune the dispatch boat Nina and seven torpedo boats

Big Cigar Company Chartered

Charleston W Va Nov 22—A charter was issued yesterday to the United States Cigar company of Wilmington Del with a capital stock of $6 500 000

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Fair today and tomorrow; light southwest winds

Western Pennsylvania — Partly cloudy today and tomorrow, light to fresh southwest winds

West Virginia—Fair today and probably tomorrow

THE NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Closing Was Very Strong and Active, With Prices Generally at the Best

New York, Nov 21—The marked improvement shown by yesterday s stock market was doubtless due in a great measure to the greater ease of time money The opening was again irregular with Manhattan in the lead though the other tractions were lower St Paul Rock Island Missouri Pacific Kansas Cit Southern Toledo St Louis and Western and some more obscure issues all made substantial improvement In the industrial group Sugar Amalgamated Copper Tennessee Coal and Iron and United States Realty issues were the principal features Buying of such stocks is St Paul Louisville and Nashville some of the Pacifics Baltimore and Ohio Pennsylvania Reading and Copper was of the very best character The closing was very strong and active with prices very generally at the best

Sterling exchange experienced another sharp advance The price was fully 10 points above Thursday but as sterling at Paris also rose 1 centime the nations were out in the same position so far as the export of gold was concerned

Bonds sympathized with the rise in stocks but only to a slight extent outside of the Wabash definitions Ba Total sales par value $2 970 [illegible]

United States new 4s declined ½ and the old 4s ¼ per cent on the last call

TO MEET BLISS

President Palma Appoints Committee to Discuss Tariff

Havana Nov 22—President Palma issued an official decree yesterday appointing Secretary of State Valdes and Secretary of Finance Montes as a commission to meet General Tasker Bliss to discuss the tariff question It is understood that General Bliss through Minister Squiers Thursday intimated to the Cuban government that the United States expected him to treat with the officials of the government direct and that he could not meet a commission composed of representatives of economic societies which had been formed for that purpose

It is expected that the first meeting between General Bliss and Senores Zaldo and Montes will be held today and it is thought that the appointment of the new commission will expedite matters There is a hope that the conference will be brought to a conclusion before Dec 1

PRESIDENT AT PHILADELPHIA

Attended Dedicatory Exercises at Central High School

Philadelphia Nov 22—President Roosevelt was the guest of honor at today s celebration in this city As component parts of special events of his calendar he attended the dedicatory exercises of the Central high school for boys and this evening will participate in the observance of Founders day at the Union League The president arrived here at 11 o clock this morning Elaborate preparations for his reception had been made by the board of education and by the officers and members of the Union League

During the interval between the ceremonies at the high school and the Founders day banquet the president was the guest at luncheon of Charles Emory Smith former postmaster general and was taken from the station to the home of Mr Smith in a direct line from the Union League

Apostolic Delegate Arrives

Washington Nov 22—Monsignor Falconio the newly appointed apostolic delegate to the United States arrived in Washington yesterday afternoon from Baltimore where he stopped for a day en route from Ottawa He immediately took up his residence in the Catholic legation building at the corner of Second and I streets northwest

Germany's Deficit

Berlin Nov 22—In the reichstag yesterday the secretary of the treasury Baron Von Thielmann announced that the deficit in the imperial budget for 1902 was estimated to be $37 500 000 The budget he added would be submitted in two or three weeks The deficit for 1902 was $14 750 000

Seminola and Followers Surrender

Manila Nov 22—The Filipino Semitola with 50 followers has surrendered to the constabulary at Albay Luzon Seminola surrendered with the chief Bellarmino at Legaspi in July 1901 and took the oath of allegiance but he subsequently fled and organized a band of Ladrones

Cost of Civilizing Indians

Washington Nov 22—Commissioner of Indian Affairs Jones in his annual report estimates that the government from its foundation to 1890 spent $845 275 290 in fighting subduing and controlling the Indians of the country and $240 000 000 for the education and care of their children

Rate War Averted

Toledo Nov 22—The rate war which was threatened between the Clover Leaf and the Wabash has been adjusted The Clover Leaf had threatened to put in a rate of $7 50 or one half the regular fare between Toledo and St Louis A conference was held here yesterday in which Commissioner F C Donald of the Central Passenger association acted as peacemaker Besides the two roads above mentioned the Lake Shore was also represented

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NOTICE.

This is to inform my friends and the public generally that I E Sims is

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Thanksgiving Rates

Excursion tickets will be sold at one and one third fare for the round trip to all points between Connellsville and Pittsburg on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad on November 26th and 27th good to return November 28th 1902

Wants to be a Borough

Rices Landing just across the Fayette county line in Greene county wants to be a borough

Bank Statement

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE [illegible] NATIONAL BANK [illegible] PENNSYLVANIA [illegible] Connellsville [illegible] at the close [illegible] November [illegible]

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The Daily Courier

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THE BLEAT OF THE CALVES

The announcement that The Daily Courier will be Republican in politics was received rather ungraciously by the Republican press of Fayette county.

We can tolerate the marble hearts of our contemporaries, but the absolute deceit they have been guilty of in this connection we cannot excuse. They affect to be surprised that The Courier is Republican in politics and one paper with remarkable perspicuity presumes that the weekly edition will be Democratic and the daily edition Republican. The fact is that it was well known to all of them for more than a year past that The Courier both daily and weekly would be Republican in politics when the daily edition was started. It was also well known to them and to all our readers that The Courier has actually been a Republican paper since 1900 when it gave its earnest support to William McKinley for President.

We never thought it necessary to label the politics of The Courier. Through its editorial columns this paper was always able to make its views understood. When a child draws a picture it is not necessary to write beneath it, "This is a Cow." There are some newspapers who still think it necessary to publish before each election a long list of candidates in order that the public may read the signs and know just what manner of politics they advocate. We never deemed it necessary to have a sandwich man stand at the head of this column.

Our contemporaries affect to believe that we didn't make up our minds about the politics of The Daily Courier until the result of the late election demonstrated that Fayette was a Republican county, and then, as one of them expressed it, we came out for Prosperity, Prosperity and Pap. This is not true, and the papers who say so well know it. Speaking in plain English, the utterance is small, mean and contemptible lie. Under the circumstances common decency would have prompted more charity. As for the pap, the loud utterances about it proves conclusively that the calves now sucking at the teat are very fearful of the newly born member of the political family.

Let the calves cease their noisy bellowing. The Courier has always stood upon its merits as an advertising medium, whether the advertising be legal or commercial, and it will continue to stand there.

THE RUDDERLESS PEDESTRIAN

Next to a mad dog, the most dangerous animal let loose upon the streets of Connellsville is the man or woman who gapes at the people, the horses, at the store windows, without heed to consequences of the rule of the road.

The individual who is loafing everywhere and everywhere but in the most in the movement. A rudderless ship at sea is more certain in its course than one whose movements are blindly and uncertainly forward, where he isn't looking.

In the name of common sense we protest against the rudderless, blind and aimless pedestrian.

The Shop mill is an established industry. Its name is valuable, its product has a reputation, its success in Connellsville is assured. We welcome it as a solid enterprise.

The Union Steel Company aspires to be one of the Octopuses.

The Dawson Bridge Company says it has not been approached, but is willin' to be seen.

The Democratic members of Town Council are charged with not earning their salaries. The laborer is worthy of his hire, but when he does not work he ought to be docked.

Hon. D. T. Acheson very kindly relieves Hon. A. P. Cooper of the perplexing duty of appointing a West Point cadet.

The Waynesburg Messenger tries to explain why Tice and's majority in Greene county was so much greater than that of Kennedy by pointing out the fact that Crow ran ahead of his ticket in Fayette county. Crow didn't trade anybody off. He is personally one of the most popular politicians in Fayette county. Can the Messenger say as much for Tice?

OLD EX-DEMOCRATIC ORGAN

Welcomes The Daily Courier to the Republican Ranks

[Laurel Republican.]

The much talked of Daily Courier has at last put in its appearance. The first number came out Monday evening, and is a sprightly infant. Editor Snyder in his initial announces that the politics of the Daily will be Republican. While somewhat of a shift from former policies of Mr. Snyder's the public will be interested to learn that the Democratic character of the weekly will be transferred to the ranks of Republicanism, and it will deal out to patrons in future, in daily quantities, and Democratic matter once a week.

[illegible] Henry P. Snyder has put his shoulder to the wheel in Fayette county and will [illegible] the Democracy of Fayette county and [illegible] Democratic Edwards and train their small, massive strongholds. Republicanism must have been in spite of the recent Republican victory in the settled portions of this county, the public virtues and [illegible] which so [illegible] the Laurel Highland.

With the first issue of The Daily Courier, Connellsville takes on an air of pride and pat. I. N. Gill pays a pretty tribute to the industry and [illegible] of the paper in the [illegible] entitled "My Boy," but he neglects to give the certification. The Courier is to be public.

Thanks for Mr. Snyder

Thank you Mr. Snyder for your Daily Connellsville Courier. It looks nice and will no doubt become attractive especially so through its other one to republican principles and the continuation of the pap it has enjoyed for the last two years. Its utterances during the last campaign were noble in sitting still and not saying a word. Now it says it is Republican without again a single word for the cheer of those who worked for the success of that party. The change of heart doesn't strike us as sincere.

Dawson Brevities

The Keister Brothers cole operations of Scottdale were in town Friday on business.

Mr. Higbee of Pittsburg is visiting friends in town.

The Dawson football team will play the Connellsville team today.

Mrs. William Bush is moving to Pittsburg this week.

Mrs. Fleming is ill.

G. H. Hawkins and family are visiting friends in Washington county this week.

The residence of Clarence Kurtz is undergoing completion and presents a fine appearance.

Miss Nellie Rostorf of Uniontown was in town last evening.

Mr. Austin of Perryopolis will give an entertainment in the Methodist church Friday evening, November 28th.

N. R. Bush has moved into the house recently vacated by Mrs. Bush.

The ministers of Dawson are preparing to be hunters. Thanksgiving [illegible].

Hustler Gets For Church

[illegible] the point of success for a church festival. A Methodist church [illegible] went into the fields and hoisted corn and sold it, applying the proceeds on their church. The ladies of the First Baptist church of Paris, Ill., were recently engaged in a husking bee for the benefit of their church fund, says a Chicago dispatch to the St. Louis Republic. A number of farmers north of the town gave them free access to their fields. They are to have all they can husk and haul away. It is expected that a new sum will be realized as the corn had been previously contracted for at 70 cents a bushel, 20 cents above the market price.

A Wireless Piano.

A gentleman of Bloomington, Ill., has invented a wireless piano, says the Philadelphia Press. He first constructed a five octave comb reed of steel, placed it upon a bridge and soundboard and by degrees discovered a way to make a very fine harp note. He has been working for eighteen years on his invention.

WU'S FAREWELL VIEWS

The Former Chinese Minister Gives His Impressions of the U. S.

HE SAYS WE ARE ALL HUSTLERS

Genial Diplomat Most Impressed by Activity of Americans and Generosity of Rich Men—Our Literature Considered All Right

Some of Wu Ting Fang's ideas of the United States are embodied in the following farewell interview with a Washington correspondent of the New York World:

The former Chinese minister crossed one leg over the other under his linen duster skirt. Then he interlocked his fingers and repeated the question. "What has most impressed me during my six years in the United States?

"Two things," he said—"the activity of your people and the good the rich men do with their money.

"I suppose every foreigner is impressed with the restless energy of the Americans. It is so different from the quieter, slower life we have in my country. Everybody seems to be full of life and ambition, as if the life of the nation were concentrated in his individuality. You are all hustlers." He smiled after he had uttered that word. "You see I've been learning English. It is this energy, this activity that accomplishes all results that have astonished the world. Wonderful nation! We Chinese are different in temperament. We are not so active. But even with that temperament I have found it contagious. I find myself walking more quickly and doing things more rapidly than I did when I first came to this country. It is the push of your nation.

"Then I marvel at the good the rich do with their money. I am told that many of the millionaires in this country distribute the greater part of their fortunes to charitable and educational institutions and to art and public improvements and enterprises for the benefit of the people. Mr. Carnegie said I could consider himself as the administrator of his money for the benefit of the people. There is very little of this spirit abroad.

"Of course there are miseries. We have them in China. There are many rich men there, you know, and some of them hoard their money closely. I suppose there are plenty of misers in this country, too, but that doesn't detract from the spirit and example of the rich men who do use their fortunes to help others who are trying to earn their money for the benefit of the public. I do not mean to say that they are exactly enough or half enough. It is the fault that interests and imperfections."

After awhile the conversation turned to literature.

"What do you think of American literature?"

"Very good."

Mr. Wu said it was if the literature of a country only 127 years old needed no further commendation.

China, he said, is natural continued Mr. Wu. "It goes back twenty-eight centuries before Christ. It is voluminous. Its classics are wonderful works. China has produced great writers, great poets, great philosophers. Such works have endured for a great number of years. Your country is young yet, and so is your literature young. In China we venerate age."

Mr. Wu likes a joke. He makes them himself sometimes. Once at a reception a friend was telling him of a young minister who had been preaching in a western town and who had been called to an eastern church.

"How much did he get in the west?" Mr. Wu asked.

"Thirty-five hundred dollars a year."

"And how much will he get in the east?"

"Seven thousand dollars."

"Ah," said Mr. Wu, "it was a very long call, was it not."

"What do you think of American humor?" was asked.

"I am very fond of it. Everybody seems to be a story teller. It is a great thing to laugh."

"And how about Chinese humor? Are there humorists in China? Do they tell stories there?"

"Certainly, just the same as here. My people like to laugh as well as anybody."

"Can you tell a Chinese story?"

Mr. Wu looked thoughtful, then he chuckled. "I'll tell you a very old Chinese story," he said.

"A man was asked by a friend to stay and have tea. On investigation it was found there was no tea in the house. A servant was sent to get some. Before the servant returned the water was boiling, and it was necessary to pour some cold water into the boiler. This happened several times, and still no tea came. Finally the boiler was full to overflowing, and the host's wife said to her husband, 'As we don't seem likely to get any tea, you had better offer your friend a bath.'"

"That sounds like an American story, almost doesn't it? There are plenty of tales like that in our country."

"Another amusing story is the one about the doctor who had mismanaged a case. He was seized by the people in the house and tied up for a whipping. He managed to free himself and escaped by swimming a river. When he got home he said to his son, who was just beginning to study medicine: 'Don't be in too much of a hurry with your books. The first and most important thing in the study of medicine is to learn to swim.'"

DEERSLAYER AGED TEN.

He Broke Animal's Leg With a Stone and Then Cut Its Throat

Eddie Wilbert, the ten-year-old son of L. A. Wilbert, a farmer residing at Aire, Wayne county, Ia., saw a deer crossing a field near his home the other day and started in pursuit, says a Port Jervis (N. Y.) dispatch to the New York Times.

After running a few rods the boy threw a stone which broke one of the animal's hind legs. The lad was then able to overtake the deer and at once hit it with a club. A fierce fight ensued, and the deer eventually fell with its foe to the ground, but he finally dealt it a blow over the head that stunned it. Eddie then ran to his home, where he secured a butcher knife and cut the deer's throat. Then he went after a team to help drag the carcass home. The deer weighed 90 pounds.

REMARKABLE OPERATION

Football Player's Sight Saved by Stitches in His Eyeball

[illegible] stitches in the ball of his eye saved the sight of James G. Mulvihill, of South Side, a player of the St. Ignatius team. The operation was performed in the West Side hospital at Chicago, says a recent dispatch to the New York Herald.

The young man was in a laboratory on Oakley avenue, testing with soda water, when one of the bottles exploded and a piece of glass struck him in the left eye. A fragment of the glass nearly half an inch in diameter cut through the lids and into the eyeball. The cut was three-eighths of an inch deep and half an inch long in the white of the eye. The operation was performed half an hour later. The injured eye was sewed up with four stitches after several stitches had been taken in the upper and lower lids.

Getting Their Hair Cut

The Japanese are cutting their hair, where it is a great jubilation in Japanese government circles. It must be understood that to get your hair cut is to a native of Formosa was formerly the worst form of insult. Almost as soon he would have cut off his head. Now, however, as a sign of submission to Japanese rule and in conformity with civilized customs, he is beginning to shear of his superfluous hirsute growth. Every week the governor of Formosa telegraphs to Tokio the additional number of natives who have cut their hair, just as Lord Kitchener telegraphed from time to time the number of Boers captured.

Danger From River Pollution

The pollution of rivers and streams by the discharge into them of town sewage and manufacturing wastes is fast becoming a matter of national importance as affecting the health of many and as fouling their banks, says the Municipal Journal and Engineer.

Administratrix's Notice

ESTATE OF JOHN BAILEY, DECEASED. Letters of administration on the estate of John Bailey, late of the Borough of Connellsville, Fayette county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same place. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them without delay to MRS. MINNIE BAILEY, Administratrix. C. O. HELLER, Attorney. 11-22-6t.

Dissolution Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the firm of Kinsburgsky Bros., doing business at Connellsville, Fayette county, Pa., under the firm name of KINSBURGSKY & COHEN, LIMITED, has on the 15th day of November, 1902, dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to make payment to JACOB KINSBURGSKY, SAMUEL J. KINSBURGSKY, ABRAHAM COHEN. 11-22-3t.

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FOR SALE—Lots in South Connellsville, $300. Kobacker's.

FOR RENT—Near town, small farm, excellent fruit, trees, good buildings, seven acres, rent only $100 per year. Kobacker's.

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FOR SALE—$200 for centrally located lot in Connellsville. Kobackers.

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SUNDAY IN CHURCHES.

Subjects of Sermons to Be Preached from Local Pulpits Tomorrow.

IT IS ANNUAL TEMPERANCE DAY

By Request of W. C. T. U. Evening Sermons in Nearly All the Local Churches Will Be on That Subject—Thanksgiving Services.

Special sermons on temperance will be preached in nearly all of the churches in Connellsville on Sunday evening. The World's W. C. T. U., following an annual custom, sent cards to the ministers of the local churches some time ago requesting a sermon on the subject of temperance tomorrow evening. About all the ministers have complied. The Union Thanksgiving sermon services will be held at 10.30 next Thursday morning in the Methodist Protestant Church.

Services will be held at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday at the usual hours, Rev. W. A. Edie, pastor. The subject of the morning sermon will be "A Sermon to Children." In the evening the subject will be "The World's Temperance Day." All are invited.

On Sunday next the Rev. Dr. Cartwright will preach in Trinity Church, New Haven, in the morning at 10.30 and in St. John's German Lutheran Church, Connellsville, in the evening at 7.30. In the afternoon he will conduct services in St. John's Church, Dunbar, at 3. On Thanksgiving Day a special service will be held in Trinity Church in the morning at 10.30. Appropriate hymns and anthems will be sung, the Rector will preach, and a Thanksgiving offering will be made in aid of church and charitable work. All persons are cordially invited to join in these services. Miss Thompson will preside at the organ. The vested choir is being augmented and improved. Preparation is making for a grand musical celebration of the Christmas festival, and very shortly the Sunday evening service will be fully choral. Persons who desire to join the choir, and to receive vocal and musical training are requested to communicate with the Rector, or with the organist, Miss Anna Thompson.

The Baptist Church will meet next Sunday in Pritchard's Hall. The pastor, T. J. Edwards, will preach at 10.30 A. M., on "The Saloon, a National Curse," and at 7.30 P. M. on "Redemption, a Vital Question." Bible School at 9.30 A. M.; Young People's services at 6.30 P. M. You are invited.

The regular services will be held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church on Next Sunday, November 23rd. Rev. Rigg, the pastor, will preach at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 2 P. M., and League devotional at 6.30 P. M.

At the Christian Church the annual offering for the Western Pennsylvania Missions will be taken at the Sunday morning service after a special presentation of the work by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Warren. The subject of the evening sermon will be "Temperance."

First Methodist Protestant Church, W. H. Gladden, minister. Sunday Christmas exercises, 9 to 11; public preaching at 10.30 and 7.30; subject of the morning sermon, "Consecration;" evening, "The Mississippi of Intemperance." Monday Class Meeting 11.30; Y. P. S. C. E. Prayer Service, 6.45; mid-week prayer meeting, 7.45. Union Thanksgiving Services Thursday the 27th at 10.30 A. M., Sermon by Rev. Dr. A. J. Heller. All are cordially invited.

South Connellsville Evangelical Church. Preaching at 10.30 A. M.; Sunday School at 2.30 P. M.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30; Y. P. A. Friday evening at 7.45. All are welcome. W. H. McLaughlin, pastor.

United Brethren Church Crawford avenue, W. V. Barnhart, pastor. Services in Kooser's Hall, South Pittsburg street. Sunday School at 9 A. M.; preaching at 10.30 A. M.; Y. P. C. U. Society 6.30 P. M.; preaching at 7.30 P. M.; prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30.

Services are held every Sunday at the Immaculate Conception Church, corner East Main and Prospect streets. Masses at 7.30 and 9, and High Mass at 10.30 A. M. Vespers at 7.30 P. M. Rev. John T. Burns, pastor; Rev. P. Brennan, assistant pastor.

The pastor, Rev. J. C. Cobb, will preach at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. in the South Side Baptist Church. Sunday school at 2 P. M. All are invited to these services.

Trinity Reformed Church, corner Pittsburg and Green streets, Sunday. Sunday School 9.30 A. M.; services at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P.M.; Christian Endeavor at 6.30 P. M. A. J. Heller, pastor.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town.

J. L. Evans and David Evans are in Pittsburg today.

Monte Carlo coats at 25% off regular price at The Fair.

Joseph Kobacker was in Greensburg Friday on business.

A new lot of Monte Carlo coats just received at The Fair.

Thomas Hudson, Esq., of Uniontown, was in town Friday.

John Bigam of Indian Creek was a Connellsville visitor today.

Fireman Berger of engine 1709 is off duty on account of sickness.

Engineer Walter Darnell, who is ill with appendicitis in the Western Maryland Hospital at Cumberland, is improving and will soon be out.

Mitchell Patterson of New Haven called in yesterday to order The Daily Courier sent to his address. He has been a subscriber to the weekly for over twenty years.

W. D. Anderson's sorrel horse "Mas" is one of the fastest steppers in town. He has a 2.40 mark and when Mr. Anderson holds the ribbons he gets after his speed as if he was on the track again.

Misses Margaret and Winifred King were called home from school at Cresson, Pa., by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Hugh King, Prospect street. Their mother is somewhat improved, and they will remain at home until after Thanksgiving.

Rumors of a terrible tragedy were spread over town today by a large blotch of blood which disfigured the pavement on South Pittsburg street. The rumors grew and thrived, but were suddenly withered when two new paper men investigated and found that someone had dropped a bottle of catsup on the pavement.

THE PLAY

Attractions Billed for Connellsville Theatre the Coming Week.

Among the many attractions booked to appear at the Connellsville Theatre is one that calls for more than ordinary comment. It is a magnificent production of "The Gates of Justice." It abounds in thrilling climaxes, a wonderful story well told and a number of the most sensational features ever seen upon any stage. It has appeared successfully in all of the large cities and at the Grand Opera House, New York, to the capacity of that mammoth building at each and every performance. It will be here Monday, November 24th.

The "Watermanner Kids" this season has more mechanical effects and what in stage language is called "tricks" than any farce comedy ever produced, in fact it goes back to the time of the great productions made by the "Revels," who were the wonders of the world. At Connellsville Theatre, Wednesday, November 26th.

"Side Tracked," like young Lochinvar, has come out of the West, where it has been a popular attraction for some time. It is breezy and always on the move, like the country from which it sprung. It will be presented at Connellsville Theatre, Thursday, matinee and night, November 27th. The performance abounds in the latest catchy music, talking specialties and funny situations. A complete evening's entertainment is assured.

"A Country Kid" will be here Saturday matinee and night, November 29th.

Advised Patience.

Manila, Nov. 22.—At a public reception to General Miles, in the island of Cebu, a Filipino speaker urged a more expeditious fulfilment of the promises made by the Americans, including autonomy. In reply, General Miles advised the people to be peaceful and patient, and to trust the Americans to satisfactorily settle all the questions now pending. He said he hoped to see the ambition of the inhabitants for autonomy finally fulfilled.

Story Had No Foundation.

Cleveland, Nov. 22.—Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad officials have instituted suit in the common pleas court in Toledo to restrain the Toledo Terminal belt railroad from crossing the tracks of the Wheeling and Lake Erie in that city. The statement is made here that the story from Toledo that the difficulty has been amicably arranged has no foundation.

Capital Stock $20,000,00.

New York, Nov. 22.—The American Barrel and Package company yesterday filed articles of incorporation in the office of the Hudson county clerk, in Jersey City. The authorized capital stock is $20,000,000. The incorporators are Horace S. Gould, Raymond Newman and Louis B. Dailey.

Strike Settled.

Athens, O., Nov. 22.—The strike of 200 miners at the Chauncey mine of the Continental Coal company, was settled yesterday by the men agreeing to the suspension for 10 days of the motorman, who was discharged because he left his work to go hunting.

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A man puts off buying his Christmas gifts until the last moment, does lots of thinking perhaps, beforehand, but the more he thinks the more he is puzzled, and he thinks and worries until the last possible moment, then rushes in and buys something that he hardly knows whether it will be the most acceptable gift he could buy or not. If you've usually bought your gifts in this way we are going to show you how to do different this year. Going to tell you about some gifts that cannot help but please. Also do some of the thinking for you. If you'll come in now we will have more time to help you in your choosing than we will after. We'll keep your purchases for you and deliver them just when you say.

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Ladies' Kid Gloves, 75c to $1.50.
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Scotch Flannels for Waists, guaranteed not to shrink, 37½c.
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SHOT FOUR TIMES.

Son of United States Minister at Guatemala City Kills Government Attache.

HE FINDS REFUGE IN LEGATION.

Officials in Doubt as to What Should Be Done in the Matter—Victim Was William Fitzgerald, Born in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Washington, Nov. 22.—The state department has been informed that Godfrey Hunter, Jr., son of the United States minister at Guatemala City, yesterday shot and killed William Fitzgerald, of Grand Rapids, Mich. Hunter has taken refuge in the legation and an interesting question has arisen as to his exemption from arrest.

Officials here are in doubt as to what should be done. They hav no notion of surrendering without protest an American citizen to the local courts of Guatemala unless satisfied that the man is a proper subject for punishment. Even then it is not certain that the department itself has the right to waive any legal exemption that the man might have.

International law lays down the precept that an ambassador or minister may not of his own accord surrender any such exemption in his own case.

Young Hunter was accompanied, at the time of the shooting, by the secretary of legation. This official is set down in the register as James G. Bailey, of Kentucky, who went to his post in June, 1901. The cable dispatch gave ground for an inference that the killing was provoked.

Young Hunter had been a clerk or typewriter in the legation, but in some quarters it is said that his connection had been terminated for some time. This may be a very important point in settling the question of exemption of young Hunter from arrest for a legation attache or employe enjoys a large part of the exemptions conferred by international law upon a minister. Another point that may operate in Hunter's favor is his kinship to the minister.

The excitement in the neighborhood of the legation in Guatemala City has made it difficult for the state department to obtain information from any unbiased person connected with the legation and not involved in the affray. Therefore, it is probable that it will await some application from the Guatemalan authorities for the surrender of young Hunter and decide Hunter's claim to exemption from arrest on the basis of all facts presented.

Minister Hunter has been steadily embroiled with members of the American colony almost since he assumed office in 1897, and lately, owing to his connection with a government railroad and other matters not supposed to be proper for a minister to meddle with, the press became so acute that the department was obliged to relieve him from office. It may be that Fitzgerald was connected in some way with the charges against the minister.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 22.—William Fitzgerald was born here and was about 27 years of age. Seven or eight years ago he drifted to Guatemala, where he held several different government positions. He is said by his relatives here to have been private secretary of the president of Guatemala for some time past. The last time he was in Grand Rapids was two years ago.

FEDERATION OF LABOR.

Conflicting Claims of Jurisdiction Occupied Time.

New Orleans, Nov. 22.—Arguments long drawn out, in support of conflicting claims of jurisdiction occupied the time of the American Federation of Labor yesterday. In the morning it was the row between the wood workers and the carpenters and between the wood workers and the piano workers. In the afternoon it was between the longshoremen and the seamen. All the disputes ended in the same manner. Each was referred to a special committee, which is to meet within a given time and endeavor to reach a solution which will be agreeable to both sides.

The eight-hour committee met last night and decided to recommend to the convention the passage of a national eight-hour law.

Bicycle Manufacturers.

Cleveland, Nov. 22.—Fifteen bicycle manufacturers, representing independent and combination wheels, were in session here yesterday. Ninety-five per cent of the trade was included. The principal result of the conference was agreement upon a uniformity of manufacture and sale price.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town.

Attend the great sale at The Fair.

Peau de Soie silk waists at $2.98 at The Fair.

The B. & O. trains are runing on better time.

Mrs. Emma Love of Alverton was shopping in town Friday afternoon.

American Beauty corset, the well known best make at special sale at The Fair.

The electric power has a bad habit of going off these days when it is most needed.

An exchange says it's enough to make Bill Pritts' worm turn to think of a corded warehouse on his farm.

Mrs. Fred Felty and Mrs. A. A. Conston of Ohiopyle were registered at the Wyman Hotel Friday afternoon.

Miss Anna M. Horner went Friday evening for a short visit with her friend, Miss Katherine Smith, Vanderbilt.

The Church Guilds of Mt. Pleasant and Scottdale this week presented a quantity of pillow cases, sheets, towels, etc., to the Cottage State Hospital.

Attorney George B. Jeffries, Uniontown, was in town a short time Friday evening on his way home from Somerset, where he has been for the past few days.

Mrs. S. P. Hildebrand, of The Stratford, South Pittsburg street, was called to Mt. Pleasant Friday evening by the serious illness of her nephew.

Mrs. Sarah Yeagley returned to her home at Lancaster, Pa., Monday, after a visit at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edmund Dunn, South Prospect street.

Ex-District Attorney W. E. Crow, Brownsville, was shaking hands with his Connellsville friends, for the first time since the election, Friday evening. Bill still has his perennial smile.

Members of the New Haven High School foot ball team are now selling tickets for the New Haven-Latrobe game, on Thanksgiving day. The boys take this way of raising money to pay the expenses of the visitors.

H. M. Kephart, Clark Collins, W. T. Dom and J. R. Laughrey returned Friday from a hunting expedition in the vicinity of W. H. Miller's place in Saltlick township. They found game scarce, and shot only a few pheasants and rabbits. "Doll" Johns' proposed new moonshine factory on the Pritts farm, it is said, has scared all the game off the tops of the Laurel Hill mountains.

SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE.

News and Personal Matters in Our Bustling Suburb.

John W. Sisley is erecting two double and two single tenement houses, and James McElhaney is building a cottage house on Point View, overlooking the Youghiogheny river.

The heavy blasting being done by contractors for the B. & O. railroad improvements near the Soisson brick works is damaging the surrounding properties more or less.

A. C. Wilfrom and John Pierce have been to Somerset county and bought a lot of turkeys and chickens. They will have a shooting match on Thanksgiving Day.

Col. J. M. Reid is having some needed repairs done on his lake at Reidmore. Col. Reid has a relic in a large stone which the Trump's used for grinding purposes in early days. The stone was quarried from the conglomerate ledge near the old Upper Salt Works, along the Youghiogheny river three or four miles south of Connellsville by some of the old Trump settlers. The stone stands upon the front lawn at Reidmore.

J. K. Pierce and Phillip Opperman, Supervisors of Connellsville township, have bought an engine for running the stone crusher which the township already owns. The engine is at Morgantown, W. Va., at which place they examined it on Monday, November 17th.

The typhoid fever sick are all improving and there are no new cases.

Notices are posted for the viewing of the old Paper mill public road for the purpose of condemnation. The B. & O. Railroad Company has made no visible move as yet to comply with the agreement made in court with the township Supervisors.

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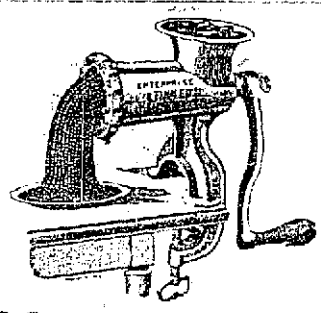

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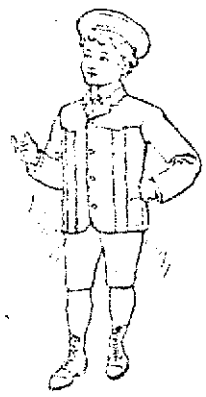

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I am exceedingly pleased with the new station at Table Head, N. S. It will be quite the equal of my station at Poldhu, Cornwall, when the powerful receiving and transmitting instruments which I have brought out with me have been installed. IF EVERYTHING IS READY BEFORE I LEAVE CAPE BRETON, I SHALL AT ONCE COMMENCE EXPERIMENTING WITH THE CORNWALL STATION. Before these instruments are tested as to their power of receiving and transmitting between Canada and England they will be subject to thorough and complete tests by the help of the Carlo Alberto.

Although we had a very rough passage across the Atlantic to Nova Scotia, we were conducting important and valuable tests during the whole of our nine days' trip.

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WHILE THE ROUGH WEATHER OFTEN RENDERED EXPERIMENTING EXCEEDINGLY UNPLEASANT, IT DID NOT, OF COURSE, INTERFERE IN ANY WAY WITH THE TRANSMISSION OF MESSAGES.

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DONALD DONALDSON, JR.

Being a True Record and Explanation of the Seven Mysteries Now Associated With His Name in the Public Mind, and of an Eighth, Which Is the Key of the Seven

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By HOWARD FIELDING

CHAPTER IV.

AN EXCEPTIONAL MATCH.

As Whiting ceased Hackett drew a long breath and looked at me.

"A little ahead of anything we've found yet, John," said he. "Have you ever tried to figure the thing out to your own mind, Mr Donaldson?"

The young man shook his head.

"I know what I saw," he said, "but I don't know what was back of it, and I am inclined to think," he added, with a smile, "that it is much the same with all we see, however simple. There is a mystery behind that teacup which no man alive can solve."

"We know that it will hold our tea," said Hackett, "but this psychic business doesn't seem to have any bottom."

I asked whether any one knew why Vinal had not made his confession in this country.

"He went to beg my brother's pardon and to die forgiven," said Donaldson. "He put his confession into the hands of the man who had been wronged."

A general conversation followed in which Donaldson appeared to far greater advantage than before. The telling of the story seemed to have taken a weight off his mind. Both Hackett and myself were pleased with him, and we resolved to carry out our original intention of taking him into our employ. We did not speak of the matter until after Whiting had left us. He had said in the beginning that he could be with us not more than half an hour. When he had gone, I explained to Donaldson that we had been considering him with reference to a position of importance in our business, and I named the duties, the salary and the prospects.

He was to be Mr. Hackett's assistant in our department of sales. We were then introducing a system of disposing of our goods which was entirely unique in this country, and we required a young man of good appearance, of cultivated mind and manner and especially of that quick, intuitive perception which is so valuable in dealing with the highest grade of merchants. The right man, coming to us with the proper energy and ability, might hope for anything, up to an interest in our business, that would make him more than well to do. It all depended upon himself.

Donaldson received this proposal with a solemnity which justified his college nickname of "deacon," by which we had heard Dr. Whiting address him.

"It is useless for me to deny," said he, "that what you suggest is a great advance for me. In my present place I am like a diver walking with leaden soled shoes in a medium of high resistance and having everything pumped down to me from above. I can't get to the top, and nobody is going to pull me up. I make a few signals by pulling on a string, but nobody answers them. I'm sunk; that's the truth about me.

"Therefore," he continued, looking first to Hackett and then to me, "I am more than ready to accept your offer, but there is one difficulty—I perceive that you have another motive in making it."

"Another motive?" said I, looking across at my partner.

Young Mr. Donaldson laid his clinched right hand upon the table.

"From this day forth," said he, "if I have any power or means of knowledge that is different from the average I will make no display of it and no use of it. That is my irrevocable decision. You will never learn more of that subject from me than you will know tonight when the sun goes down. But, since I have cast away restraint today, let me continue in that folly.

"I know perfectly well that you have another object in making this proposal to me; that it is a part of a fantastic dream. You hope to mate me with a young woman whom you believe to possess the same powers that are in me. You think that you are acting in the interests of the advance of human knowledge and that posterity, with the probable exception of my posterity, will rise up and call you blessed."

I was motionless, dumfounded. I could not have cried "Fire!" if the blaze had broken out in my own pocket. Ten thousand messages from Japan were not to be thought of in comparison with this phenomenon.

For the secret that he had touched upon was absolutely ours. My own private speculations upon the subject and my brief and inconsequential talks with Hackett summed up the whole of it. Neither of us had ever suggested that Donaldson and Miss Vaughn might make a match of it, yet the idea had flitted through my mind now and then, and I found out afterward that it had been in Hackett's.

"I don't mean to say," continued Donaldson, "that you would use any influence or hold out any inducements to bring such a marriage about, but you will look for it, and you will be disappointed. Why, Mr. Harrington, if I knew that a girl was what is called a psychic I could no more love her than I could love a girl with two noses. No, sir; I am opposed to superfluity. The ordinary mental and physical endowments are enough for me. If you attempt to make any such match for me, I shall run."

"But have you any reason to suppose that such a girl exists?" I demanded. "Who is she?"

"I have no information as to who she is," he replied, addressing me directly. "I perceive no more than that she is some one for whom you have a high regard, and it is doubtless a great honor for me to be coupled with her in your thoughts. But I ask you to think of it no more."

"You have read from a closed book," said I, "and it is a marvelous thing to do. But you have read only a single paragraph and have failed to grasp the sense of the whole volume. We want your head in our business, Mr Donaldson, and are willing to pay for it, but your heart is your own, and I should be the first to dissuade you from a marriage however advantageous it might seem to be, that was based upon any other impulse than the love of a good woman."

"I am a melancholy fellow," said Donaldson, with evident feeling, "and quite for matrimony. Only cheerful people should marry. A rich man's money may bless or curse his children. At the best, it is not so good as a happy disposition; at the worst, it leads to nothing that is half so bad as hereditary sourness of heart. You will forgive me for mentioning this subject. Really, I was afraid that I might be beguiled into some sort of an experiment. It may have been a cranky notion, but this whole conversation has been such a weird mixture of business and ghosts!"

The big clock in the corner struck 2 and surprised us all with the lateness of the hour. It was necessary for Donaldson to return at once to his office and so we could not ask him the questions which were pressing for utterance. I may say, however, that when we had abundant opportunity thereafter we obtained scant information. Donaldson either could not or would not tell how he obtained his psychic messages. "It is like suddenly remembering something that you have always known," was the usual way in which he dodged the question, and he would never speak upon the subject at all when he could avoid doing so.

Upon the matter of Donaldson's recognition of his friend Whiting's presence we made one discovery before leaving the restaurant. Hackett sat down in the chair which our young friend had occupied and immediately perceived that owing to the position of a hat tree upon which our coats were hung the mirror in the wall could not explain the phenomenon. I could see around one side of this obstruction and Hackett around the other side, but it was precisely in the necessary line of Donaldson's vision.

About two weeks after this remarkable luncheon Deacon Donaldson was added to our working force at Tunbridge and became a member of my household, and there a singular and amusing complication presently came about. Mrs. Jane Harrington, whose husband is a cousin of mine and has charge of a branch of our business in the west, came to visit me, bringing her daughter, a very charming young woman of twenty. In some mysterious manner Donaldson got the notion that Millie Harrington was the beautiful psychic whose union with himself was secretly plotted by the wily Stephen Hackett and me. He had never been able to rid himself of the idea that something of the sort was in the wind, but he was entirely ignorant of the facts in the case of Dorothy Vaughn.

In fact, nobody in Tunbridge except Hackett and me knew that Dorothy's coming to teach our school had any connection with our quest of mysteries. It was far more likely that Donaldson should suspect Millie, who was there upon my direct invitation and seemingly thrown into his way with malice aforethought, than Dorothy, who lived on the other side of the town and was merely the schoolteacher.

Millie was a flirt, I'm afraid, and as the deacon was the most attractive young man in her vicinity she proceeded to practice her innocent arts upon him. I think he was not naturally timid in such matters. He had a very easy and graceful manner in the company of ladies, and not even so simple an old fellow as myself could fail to see that he had learned his lesson in the school of experience. Millie found him an admirable cavalier, and she kept him busy in her service.

It may have been five weeks that Millie and her mother were at my house, and the place was so gay that I did not feel at home. In the evenings there would be music and dancing, and I would sit in a corner alone except when Hackett strayed into this scene of unaccustomed revelry or when Dorothy could be persuaded to come over after the school. She was in mourning for her aunt, of course, and could not join in the sport, but she held it no harm to sit in sober black and watch the others. We had some great talks in this way, but it seemed to me that she was not in so good spirits after this brief season of festivity got well under way. Indeed it must have been a trial for a young and pretty girl, as I thought more than once. It never occurred to me that there could be any special trouble. Even when she advanced the opinion one evening that she was not doing very well with the school and perhaps it might be better for her to go away I totally failed to comprehend.

That night after the house had become quiet I was sitting before the fire in the library alone when Donaldson dropped in to keep me company. At my invitation he took a cigar, selecting one that was black and strong, and when he had lighted it I perceived that there was something on his mind. A man who wishes to conceal his mental state should not smoke in the presence of a smoker.

"Mr Harrington," said he at last, "you have been very good to me. You have put me in a fine way of business, so that my future is assured—if I believe myself. I am very grateful in every way, and I'm going to please you if I can. But, by Jinks," he cried, suddenly springing up, "I can't."

"Why not?" I asked as gently as possible.

He dried the palms of his hands upon his handkerchief.

"It's a great honor," he said, trying to be calm. "I told you so long ago at Bertram's. Of course I didn't then know that the young lady would be related to you. I couldn't foresee how beautiful she would be, how admirable in every way. She doesn't care a penny for me, to be sure, but I'm not speaking of that. I'm speaking of my own sentiments. She's got the most wonderful eyes—dark, mysterious, marvelous eyes. By Jove, I can well believe that she's the true psychic! And perhaps that's what's the matter."

"Are you speaking of Miss Harrington?" I inquired as he paused. And he replied with a quick nod of affirmation.

"I'll tell you the truth," he cried, wheeling toward me suddenly. "The psychic matter hasn't anything to do with it. It's because I'm in love with somebody else. I've got no business to be in love, but I am. On the chance that the woman I love may love me I ought to go and drown myself—in her interest—but I won't. I will stay right here and win her if I can. I'm selfish enough to do it, vain enough to think I may succeed, and it seemed to be my duty to tell you about it. Mr. Harrington, considering the very peculiar circumstances of the case."

"Who is the young lady?" I inquired.

For some strange reason a flood of

They were married in my house.

emotion choked him as he tried to speak her name. He struggled with it for an instant and then answered me by throwing out his right arm so that he pointed to the window and across the broad lawn and nearly the whole town beyond it, half a mile or more in all, to the house where Dorothy lived.

I understood him perfectly.

"You couldn't please me better than that," said I. "With all my heart I wish you well."

Some days later Dorothy told me that she was much more encouraged about the school and that she had quite given up the idea of going away. She was devoted to the work, and yet I knew that it was not her success therein which had so lightened her heart.

When Hackett learned how matters stood, he insisted that my theory about a natural antipathy between psychics was overthrown, but I preferred to regard the case as merely exceptional. Obviously the rule cannot be ironclad, for if such were the fact occult powers would disappear from the world.

At any rate, this was a true love match if ever there was one. Their happiness brought out the noblest qualities of their hearts. They did wonderful work that winter, both of them, justifying my best hopes and winning my warmest good will.

It was to be a long engagement. Dorothy had mentioned two years, I believe. But in the late spring we planned to send Donaldson abroad, with the result that Dorothy decided to go too. So they were married in my house, which was rose bedecked for the occasion. There were festivities which lasted until sundown, and then while some of the younger guests were tying tolitale ribbons to the carriage that waited before my door the two lovers escaped by another way and ran hand in hand like children across the fields through the sweet June evening. It appeared that they had secretly sent all their baggage to the railroad station earlier in the day.

CHAPTER V.

THE MYSTERY OF THE EXPECTED ROBBER.

Donald Donaldson, Jr., was born May 2, 1881. He was the healthiest and altogether the finest child that ever came into the world, the most desired, the best loved. And whimsical nature exacted the smallest possible price of pain for him.

Yet permit me to reconsider that statement in the light of a better philosophy. There are those who say that in adversity one need not shout for the awakening of the gods for in the day of superabundance dread it; that nothing comes which is not earned. It may be that a young mother reaped no more than the just reward of consistent right living from her earliest childhood. However that may be, the fact remains that all things went incredibly well. Behold Dorothy, as pretty as ever and not a day older, trapping about the house with a song; behold the boy, healthy as a young lion and roaring when he roared, for his own good pleasure and not for any ill.

Hackett prophesied great things of him, believing that his exploits would some day necessitate a revised edition of our "Psychic Facts," a work that was then complete except for the last section, which Hackett wished to entitle "The Real Facts" despite the imputation upon the accuracy of the preceding portions.

As to his hopes of young Donald my partner spoke only once in the presence of the boy's parents.

"You'd have thought I had accused him of being cross eyed," said he to me in describing the incident, and thereafter we discussed the subject strictly in private.

Our book eventually went to the printer, but Hackett never saw it in a finding. He was stricken with an illness which rushed on to a fatal termination in such haste that it seemed all over in a day, and I was standing by the grave of my oldest friend. Afterward I could hardly bear to look at the book upon which we had labored together. I left everything to others. It had a small success and was soon forgotten, though recent events have led the publishers to print some thousands of copies from the old plates. The work is full of unfounded belief and equally unfounded doubt. I am proud only of the former, which was mostly Hackett's. A natural, honest, seemingly baseless belief is probably founded upon the knowledge of the ages and the soul's sympathy with infinite wisdom, but your doubt is likely to be your own, and you should be the more modest in the expression of it.

Pardon this digression about "Psychic Facts." The psychic fact with which this present record principally concerns itself is Donald Donaldson, Jr., and from this point onward I shall stick closely to him. I have given a view of his parents because that was absolutely necessary to an understanding of his nature and of the events in which he took part. I shall now very briefly sketch his youth, which was unmarked by any incident out of the ordinary.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Acrobatic Love.

A Task.

"What is the matter?" asked the literary man's friend.

"I don't know what I am going to do about this week's work."

"What is the trouble?"

"I can't think of any interesting questions to ask myself in my Answers to Correspondents column."—Washington Star.

Railroad Time Tables.

ALL TRAINS VIA WASHINGTON
BALTIMORE & OHIO R.R.
WITH STOP-OVER PRIVILEGE

PITTSBURG DIVISION AND BRANCHES.

Onward after May 18th, 1902, passenger trains will leave Connellsville for Chicago via Pittsburg and Akron without change. Express 12.50 and 6.09 p. m. daily.

For Cincinnati, St. Louis and Louisville via Pittsburg, 1.52 a. m. and 6.09 p. m. daily.

For Pittsburg, week days, 4.45, 7.10, 7.55, 11.05 a. m.; 12.50, 2.32, 6.09, 6.55 p. m.; Sundays, 4.45, 7.40, 7.55 a. m., and 12.50, 6.09 and 6.55 p. m.

For Washington, Pa., and Wheeling.—Week days, 4.45, 11.05 a. m.; 2.32 and 6.09 p. m. Sundays, 4.45 a. m., 12.50 and 6.09 p. m.

For Mount Pleasant.—Week days, 8.30 a. m., 2.50 and 5.40 p. m.

For Uniontown.—Week days, 7.55, 9.30 a. m., 3.15 and 6.15 p. m. Sundays, 9.50 a. m. and 6.15 p. m.

For Rockwood.—Week days, 7.55 a. m.

For Morgantown.—Week days, 9.50 a. m., 3.15 and 6.15 p. m. Sundays, 9.50 a. m. and 6.15 p. m.

For Belmont.—Week days, 9.50 a. m., 6.15 p. m. Sundays, 9.50 a. m.

For Cleveland, via Pittsburg, daily except Sunday, 4.45 a. m.

For Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston and all points in the East.—Express daily, 4.45 a. m., 3.10, 8.05 and 10.52 p. m.

For Confluence and Rear.—8.50 a. m., except Sunday.

For Johnstown and points on the S. & C. Branch.—Week days, 8.50, 9.45 a. m., 3.10 and 3.20 p. m. Sundays, 3.10 and 3.20 p. m.

For Berlin.—Week days, 8.50 a. m. and 3.20 p. m.

For Cumberland.—Daily Express, 4.45 a. m., 3.10, 8.05 and 10.52 p. m. Daily accommodation trains 8.50 a. m. and 3.20 p. m.

For Shanesville, Barnesville and points on the N. & W. R. R.—8.45 a. m., 3.10 and 10.52 p. m. daily.

For Harper's Ferry and Valley Division points, 8.45 a. m., 3.10 and 10.52 p. m. Week days only.

If you want to secure through tickets, reserve Pullman space, or get information concerning time of trains and connections, call at the Baltimore & Ohio depot, Connellsville, Pa.

H. D. DOUGLAS, Ticket Agt.
D. B. MARTIN, Asst. Pass. Traffic.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

(South West Branch.)

On and after June 15th, 1902, trains will arrive and depart as follows:

Southward.—For Dawson, Perryopolis, Connellsville, Uniontown, 8.16, 10.52 a. m., 3.10 and 6.15 p. m.

For Fairchance.—10.52 a. m., 3.10 and 6.15 p. m.

Northward.—For Scottdale and Greensburg and all points on the main line, 7.22, 9.30 a. m., 1.05 and 5.35 p. m.

For information concerning rates of fare, etc., call on or address the following agents: Albert Hutchison, Purchaser, W. B. McCormick, Uniontown; Sam Tarr, Dunbar; W. K. Hugenberger, Connellsville, or Thomas E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, 306 Fifth avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.

J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agt.

PITTSBURG & LAKE ERIE.

Lessee Pittsburg, McKeesport & Youghiogheny Railroad, Cleveland Short Line.

Central Standard Time, in effect Sunday, June 15th, 1902.

Trains leave New Haven Depot for West Newton, McKeesport and Pittsburg, daily at 5.30 a. m. and 2.05 P. M.

For Dickerson Run.—Daily, 5.30 a. m., 2.05 and 6.10 p. m. For points on Belle Vernon branch, daily, 5.30 a. m. and 2.05 p. m.

Parlor and sleeping cars between Pittsburg, Buffalo and Chicago.

L. A. ROBISON, Gen. Pass. Agt.
J. H. YOUNG, Superintendent.

WASHINGTON RUN R. R.

Trains leave Layton daily for Star Junction at 8.25 a. m. and 5.50 and 7.20 p. m.

Trains leave Star Junction for Layton daily at 7.15 a. m., and 5.20 and 6.50 p. m.

All trains make connection with Baltimore & Ohio at Layton.

J. S. NEWMYER, Gen. Supt.
N. P. HYNDMAN, G. P. and P. A.

A PARTIAL LIST

Of the Organizations That Have Endorsed the Uniform Closing Hour of the Retail Clerks' Association.

It has been claimed that the six o'clock closing hour was not desired by the bread earners of Connellsville and vicinity. Below you will find a partial list of the labor organizations that have endorsed the action of the Clerks' Association.

Metal Polishers, Platers, Finishers, Brass Moulders and Brass Workers of N. A.

Local 68, Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 20, 1902.

To the Central Trades Council, Connellsville, Pa.:

The matter of the early closing hour was brought up at a meeting of the Brass Workers' Local 208 of Connellsville, Pa., and a vote from ten on same, it was unanimously carried that all members should call with Union Stores, and that such stores observe 6 P. M.

T. N. WYNNHAM, Sec.
[Seal] THOS. MORRIS, Pres.

Iron Moulders' Union of North America, Local Union No. 68.

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 20, 1902.

We, the Moulders of Connellsville and New Haven, Scottdale and Dunbar, owning allegiance to the I. M. U. of N. A., Local 68, in behalf of the Retail Clerks of Connellsville, asking for an earlier closing hour, we respectfully submit the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we are in favor of the earlier closing movement asked by the Retail Clerks, and we further

Resolve, To patronize only those who close their stores at 6 o'clock, except the nights specified in contract, and we further agree to do all in our power to influence our neighbors and friends to do likewise.

We respectfully submit this to the Retail Clerks, that they may not doubt our sincerity.

Respectfully yours,
THE IRON MOULDERS' UNION OF NORTH AMERICA,
[Seal] LOCAL 68.

National Union of United Brewery Workmen of the United States, Local Union No. 40, Connellsville, Fayette County, Pa., Oct. 20, 1902.

Brother Delegates of Trades Council:

We, the brewery workers of Connellsville and vicinity, of Local No. 40, Brewery Workers, do endorse the action of the Retail Clerks' Protective Association to shorten the hours of labor.

Resolved, That we, the Brewery Workers, do declare that we will not patronize any store in Connellsville or vicinity that has not endorsed the contract with the Retail Clerks' Protective Association, and we will do all in our power to get our friends to do the same.

Yours in unity,
J. H. DILLEMUTH, Sec.
CHAS. FRANKS,
ALEX. SHANK,
J. H. DILLEMUTH, } Committee.
[Seal]

Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers of America, Local Union No. 70.

Connellsville, Pa., Sept. 20, 1902.

We, the Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers of America, Local Union No. 70, of Connellsville, Pa., do hereby resolve to adopt the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we do not patronize any store that keeps open after 6 o'clock on Saturdays; and

Resolved, That we see that each and every child has a working card; and

Resolved, That we support the Retail Clerks' International Protective Association, Local Union No. 174, in their strife for shorter hours.

PAINTERS, DECORATORS AND PAPER HANGERS' UNION
[Seal] No. 70.

International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, of Connellsville, Local Union No. 526.

Connellsville, Pa., Nov. 21, 1902.

We, the members of Electrical Workers' Union No. 526, in regular session after a very careful consideration, unanimously do heartily endorse the action taken by the R. C. I. P. A. in their effort to secure a uniform closing hour for all stores in Connellsville and vicinity, adopt the following resolutions:

1st. That no member of this organization shall patronize stores except those displaying Union Cards.

2nd. That we do all in our power to secure the patronage of our friends for Union Stores.

Fraternally Yours,
ELECTRICAL WORKERS OF CONNELLSVILLE. [Seal.]

Bricklayers and Masons' International Union No. 9, of Connellsville, Pa.

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 29, 1902.

We, the members of Bricklayers and Masons' Union No. 30, of the State of Pennsylvania, in regular session after very careful consideration and much discussion, do heartily endorse the action taken by the R. C. I. P. A. in their effort to secure a uniform closing hour for all stores in Connellsville and vicinity, and unanimously adopt the following resolutions:

1st. That no member of this organization shall patronize stores except those displaying Union Cards, and that we do all in our power to secure the patronage of our friends for Union Stores.

Fraternally Yours,
BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS.
[Seal]

United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Local Union No. 1.

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 20, 1902.

Local Union No. 1, U. B. of C. & J., in regular session, gave unanimously

Resolved, To support the Retail Clerks' Protective Association in their struggle for shorter working hours.

A. J. KIMMEL,
JNO. F. MALLIN,
F. E. HOOVER,

Wood, Wire and Metal Lathers' International Union, Local 214.

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 20, 1902.

To the Retail Clerks' Protective Association of Connellsville:

Gentlemen: This Local of Wood, Wire and Metal Lathers' International Union is fully in sympathy with you in your endeavor to bring all the retail stores in Connellsville and vicinity into your Union and have them close at 6 P. M. except such days as you may agree to keep them open until later hour. At our meeting on Oct. 20th we adopted the following resolution:

No member is allowed to patronize any store where non-unionists are employed, and we are all enjoined if possible to patronize Union stores only. If any member of this Local or a member of his family is reported to have patronized a non-union store, a fine will be put on each member according to circumstances.

I am authorized to make this communication to you for your action.

Fraternally Yours,
[Seal] A. F. WHITELEMAN, Sec.

Connellsville Division No. —, Order of Railway Conductors.

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 20, 1902.

Whereas, The Stream and Sales Ladies' Union of Connellsville are trying to better their condition by shorter hour service; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, of this Division, assembled in regular session, do hereby adopt and approve the action of the Retail Clerks' Protective Association, and heartily endorse the same.

D. F. HILLEMAN,
S. T. WHITE,
W. S. SHEETMAN,
Committee for Connellsville Division No. —, Order of Railway Conductors.

Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Connellsville Division No. 9.

Wm. Pradley, F. F. Q. Engineer, F. A.

Connellsville, Pa., Nov. 11, 1902.

To Retail Clerks and Sales Union, Connellsville, Pa.:

To Officers and Members:

At a regular meeting of Connellsville Lodge No. 50, I. of H., held November 11th, 1902, a resolution was adopted as follows:

Resolved, That this Division No. 9, F. F. E., endorse the action of the Retail Clerks' Union as to the uniform time of closing. Yours,

Q. L. FOLL.

Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Youghiogheny Lodge No. 9.

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 12, 1902.

At a regular meeting of Youghiogheny Lodge No. 92, I. of L. F., the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That we, the members of Youghiogheny Lodge No. 92, B. of L. F., are heartily in sympathy with the labor movements of the Mercantile Association of Connellsville.

Resolved, That we endorse the action of the Retail Clerks' organization in regard to a uniform closing hour.

S. A. McPHILE,
[Seal] Secretary.

Cambria Lodge No. 17, Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers of the United States.

We, the members of Cambria Lodge No. 17, A. A. of I. S. & T. W., in session assembled, do recognize that the demand of the Retail Clerks of Connellsville is eminently fair and just, and we feel that a uniform hour of closing should be granted by all merchants of this town, and be it

Resolved, That in case a uniform hour of closing is not granted to the Retail Clerks, we, the members of Cambria Lodge, do pledge ourselves not to patronize any merchant who refuses to grant said demands, and we further pledge ourselves to do all in our power to divert the trade of our members and friends to those merchants friendly and favorable to organized labor, and away from those unfriendly to us and our fellow unionists.

R. R. C. I. P. A.
J. W. DILLE,
BEN F. WILLIAMS,
E. E. LYNN,
E. E. COLLINS,
[Seal.] JOHN DAVIS.

Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Youghiogheny Valley Division No. 18, Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 17, 1902.

At a regular meeting held at Lodge Hall, October 17th, 1902, it was

Resolved, That the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen do hereby resolve that all stores in Connellsville and New Haven be asked to adopt a uniform time for the closing of their places of business, and the Order of Retail Clerks' Association.

Signed by Master Wm. Lochin, Artest; Harry Hodges, Secy.

International Association of Machinists, Lodge No. 1.

Connellsville, Pa., Nov. 1, 1902.

At a regular meeting of Lodge No. 1, Union No. 1, it was

Resolved, To support the Retail Clerks' Protective Association in their effort to secure a shorter working day.

EDWIN LOWZEY, Sec.

TALL BUILDING FIRE TEST.

Result of Standpipes Tried on Flatiron in New York.

Persons passing the Broadway and Fifth avenue entrance of Twenty-third street in New York the day morning found the street filled in clouds of spray caused by streams of water shooting up over those thoroughfares from the dizzy height of the Flatiron building, which overlooks the triangular plot bounded by Broadway, Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street, says the New York Press. The unusual sight was the result of the test given to the new full set of standpipes in the building.

The pumping was done by the two most powerful engines in the department. No. 1 and No. 2, and the demonstration of the efficacy of the system was successful in every way. Chief Croker said that no matter how high the flames were if they had standpipes the problem was a simple one of pumping water to the top.

The test took place just as rising in most of the department buildings of the customers in the street, while Croker was with the chief engineer above. The water was sent up and down the eight floors, withstanding the test without a leak, and streams of water were pumped out of the windows. Nine streams were thrown from the floor level, and from the thirteenth and eighth floors, at the same time. The water for this display was furnished by Engine No. 1 working to its full capacity. After the test a twenty-inch crown plug was cut out of the main pipe.

FIRST LADIES OF THE LAND

Remarkable Change Reported in Mrs. McKinley's Health.

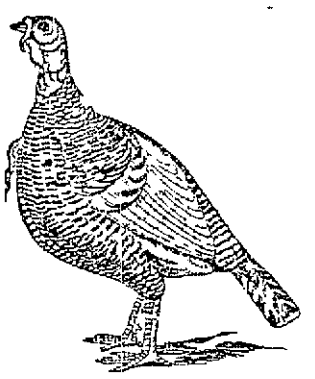
Mrs. Hayes. "If we can rely upon to see the signs of the times. Her manner is [illegible] and all who come in contact with her talk with a sense of kindliness. Her face is made well by the kindness which [illegible] the pretty feeds. When Mrs. Roosevelt visited X. she talked among others with Dr. Hemmin. Dr. Hemmin is known to every undergraduate as the "Test of fellows." Police Commissioner Greenwood approved of Mrs. Roosevelt and she reciprocated. They became good friends and when the medium returned to Oyster Bay she sent the peace guardian a photograph of herself with a line of recognition of the trouble he had been put to, says the Onlooker.

It was a small thing, but it was considerate, and the world grows ever better for such small kindness. Speaking of Mrs. Roosevelt reminds her predecessor. It is astonishing to learn that Mrs. McKinley has fairly turned her back upon invalidism and waxed recently fat to the extent of forty added pounds.

Found Dead in Bedroom.

New York, Nov. 22.—Miss Edith C. Hodges, a young woman who had recently been supporting herself by giving lessons in French, was found dead last night in her bedroom in a boarding house in Bronx borough. Death is believed to have resulted from an accidental overdose of valerian, which she was in the habit of taking for insomnia. From letters found in the room it was learned that her mother lives at 2306 Grand View avenue, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, and that she had a sister, Mrs. Emma C. Williams, living at Malone, N. Y.

A Good Turkey



Is one of the very few things that you want for Thanksgiving and that we cannot supply you with. But there are many other needs for that holiday—and of no less importance—which you will find in our store. We mention Table Linens, our extensive line of Imported Linen for the Thanksgiving table, which are all out up to date, assortment of Table Cloths, Girls', Misses' and Boys' Stylish Wearing Apparel.

We know that on account of the warm October and November days it may have delayed the purchases of Fall goods, but we know also that the meteorological observatories predict cold weather for the end of the month. This fact is worthy to be considered, and immediate purchases are now advisable. We invite you, therefore, to inspect our various departments, where you are sure to find the largest assortments of all the correct styles, and you can be just as sure that all our goods are marked at those fascinating figures known by our customers as the only genuine "ROCK BOTTOM PRICES."

Clothing for any Occasion

To Fit Any Man

Whether normal, large sized, slim or stout. All fashionable fabrics, made in the best manner the tailor knows how. Every suit or overcoat we sell is guaranteed, and this rule makes it absolutely safe to buy. Money back on anything that is not satisfactory—prompt redress on anything you keep that does not give good wear, for besides style, quality and cheapness, there must be worth-ness in everything we sell.

Hand Tailored Suits and Overcoats that retain their shape and good looks, the famous H. S. & M. and High Art makes at

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Other Good and Dependable Suits and Overcoats made of choicest fabrics, correct fashions, at **$7.50, $8.50, $10**

Boys' Clothing.

We sell the boys more stylish but at any given price than can be found in any other clothing store. We have the largest assortment in Connellsville to select from. Our prices are the cheapest. No matter what is one's full duty to her boy, and he pays if she is helped. Clothing Department.

Boys' Suits that wear well and wear well. Reliable in every sense of the word. Sizes 4 to 20. Made of all wool blue and black Cheviots in fine worsteds. Unparalleled value. **$5.50**

Boys' High Grade Suits of the approved choice fineness, workmanship and styles. Attractive and fashionable weaves. Models of careful and up-to-date tailoring. Extraordinary values at

$9, $10, $11 & $12.50

Boys' Overcoats all sizes and styles, from **$3.50 up to $12.50**

Thanksgiving Sale of Table Linens.

An offering of great interest to thrifty housewives. The great purchases which we made months ago are now installed. The low prices and the scope of desirable qualities are calculated to maintain the prestige of the department.

Fine Satin Double Damask, 66 in. wide, for extra wide tables, regular $2 value, **$1.40**

Fine Irish Satin Table Linens, 2 yds. wide, very choice patterns, regular $1.25 value at **98c**

Odd Hemstitched Dinner Cloths, 2x2½ yd. lengths, rare saving opportunity, $1 value **$2.75**

Double Satin Damask Napkins, ⅝ and breakfast sizes, finest Irish and Scotch makes, $3 value for **$1.95**

Hemstitched Dinner Sets, 3 yards cloth and one dozen napkins to match, regular $12 value at **$8.50**

Fine Mexican Doilies, damask tray cloths and center pieces, choice of fine sample line at the very lowest prices.

Fringed Bed Spreads, extra size with cut out corners, combination spread and valance, $2.50 value for **$1.98**

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